PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)	Docket Number (Optional) P-2821R1

In re Application of J. Nadeau and G. Walker	
Application Number 09/082,247	Filed May 20, 1998
For Detection of Nucleic Acid Amplification	
Art Unit 1637	Examiner Joyce Tung

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

☐ .One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) $_____

☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) $_____

☑ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) $ 1020 ⊞

☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) $_____

☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) $_____

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: $_____ .

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☑ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number   02-1666   ◻ .

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐   applicant/inventor.

☐   assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
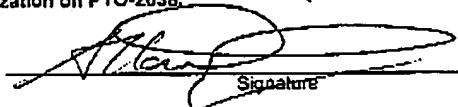Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

☑   attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 42,275   ⊞

☐   attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____ .

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April 26 2005
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one